

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

# HB 2450

expedited rulemaking; outdated rules Prime Sponsor: Representative Mitchell, LD 13

**DP** Committee on Government and Higher Education

**DP** Caucus and COW

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## **OVERVIEW**

HB 2450 expands permissible expedited rulemaking authority.

### **PROVISIONS**

- 1. Allows an agency to conduct expedited rulemaking to amend or repeal rules that are outdated, redundant or otherwise no longer necessary for the operation of state government.
- 2. Makes technical changes.

### **CURRENT LAW**

Agencies are permitted to conduct expedited rulemaking if it does not increase the cost of regulatory compliance, increase a fee or reduce procedural rights of regulated persons and does one or more of the following: 1) amends or repeals rules made obsolete by repeal or supersession of an agency's statutory authority; 2) amends or repeals rules that has been declared unconstitutional by a court; 3) makes, amends or repeals rules that repeat existing statute; 4) makes, amends or repeals rules relating only to internal governmental operations; 5) corrects typographical errors, makes address or name changes or clarifies language; 6) adopts or incorporate by reference without material change, federal or state statutes, regulations or agency rules; or 7) reduces or consolidates steps, procedures or processes in the rules. Expedited rulemaking becomes effective 30 days following publication of the notice of final expedited rulemaking (A.R.S. § 41-1027).